

## Message Text

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NODIS  
CHEROKEE

FOLLOWING REPEAT PRETORIA 4337 ACTION SECSTATE INFO LONDON  
23 SEP 76.

QUOTE: C O N F I D E N T I A L PRETORIA 4337

NODIS/CHEROKEE

DEPT PASS TO SECRETARY ON AIRCRAFT

E.O. 11652: XGDS-1  
TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A)  
SUBJ: PM'S CONCERN OVER MACHEL'S POSITION

1. AT CONCLUSION OF OUR MEETING WITH FLOWER, BRAND  
FOURIE ASKED ME TO STAY BEHIND TO CONVEY PM VORSTER'S  
SERIOUS CONCERN OVER A NEWS BROADCAST HE HEARD THIS  
AFTERNOON. PM WANTED THIS CONCERN PASSED TO YOU RIGHT AWAY.

2. NEWS REPORT QUOTES MOZAMBIQUE VICE PRESIDENT AS  
SAYING THAT MACHEL WILL HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH SETTLEMENT.  
VORSTER CONCERNED WITH IMPACT THIS MIGHT HAVE ON SMITH  
AND POSSIBILITIES OF RETURNING TO NORMALCY IN RHODESIA  
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IF GUERRILLA WAR NOT HALTED AND ACCESS TO MOZAMBIQUE PORTS

NOT RESTORED.

3. PM WONDERS WHAT INFORMATION YOU HAVE ON MACHEL'S  
ATTITUDE.  
BOWDLERD  
UNQUOTE ROBINSON

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